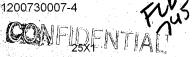
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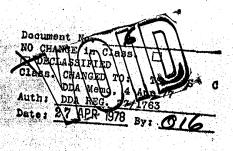
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Since the beginning of November 1947, German and Russian offices have consulted regularly on reparations plans for 1948. In so far as the monetary value of the reparations is concerned, the quota will not exceed that set for 1947 (e.g.: Thuringia, about two billion RM; Saxony, about 2.4 billion RM). During 1947, however, calculations were based upon 1944 index prices: for 1948 a new scale has been established, with prices ranging up to 40% lower than those of 1944. According to careful estimates of German offices this difference will increase the actual amount or real value of the reparations by about 40%, and it is thought that even if the production of goods for civilian consumption were completely eliminated, it would be impossible to fill the new quota.

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